THE "BEST PEOPLE ON EARTH" WERE ENTERTAINED.

Mr. Thomas G. Leath Tendered His Brethren a Social Session, and Merriment, Joyousness and Wit Bubbled Forth.

Imagine fifty men clasping hands and singing, "Auld Lang Syne" at midnight, and you have a fair idea of the ending of a social session of the Elks.

One of those unique and most pleasant occasions took place last Friday evening at Morgenstern's, on Broad, near Fourth street. In rear of the restaurant the best people on earth" met as the guests of Mr. Thomas G. Leath, and for three hours wit, merriment and the best of good feeling bubbled forth like an uncorked Apollinaris bottle.

Mr. Leath, besides looking after matinee tickets and bill boards, is a rampant Elk, and enthused by recent political successes and with an ardent desire to do right invited his brothers to the spread.

Now the supper was in a room that was unique. There is no wall papering or decorations of that kind, but the walls, ceiling and all available spots have been covered by lithographs of theatrical

attractions.

Marie Wainwright in a "Twelfth Night" costume embellishes the wall side by side with Louis Morrison in a "Pearl of Pekin." Pear and lamented Kate Castleton is rext to a scene from "Alone in London," while on the celling, "Lost in New York" sets jumbled up with the "County Fair," and a "Bunch of Keys" is required before "Evangeline" is able to have "A Breezy Time."
Lots of labor has been expended upon

Lots of labor has been expended upon the room, and it never falled to attract miversal admiration from the theatrical

There was a meeting of the Elks before the supper at their club-rooms, consequently it was nearly 10 o'clock before they came into the dining hall.

After the most fraternal greeting, every-body took seats, and Mr. John T. Brady,

Imagine Brady to be a jolly-looking

Imagine Brady to be a jolly-looking Irishman, with a frank, open face, sitting at, the head of a table, perhaps twenty feet long. Imagine fifty men seated about the room smoking and sipping beer. Imagine an orchestra in the corner. Imagine well-known business men acting as waiters, and two two-hundred-pound citizens with drawn swords that must have done service in the Revolution standing on either side of Brady. Imagine all this and you have a clear, jucid the all this and you have a clear, lucid and succinct idea of how the tout ensemble would have struck you.

The fun began.

The Dictator: "Brothers, we will first be favored by the orchestra rendering a few choice notes. Let the beer committee quietly circulate, and before com-mencing Professor Stein is fined 20 cents wearing a diamond."

Orchestra plays a lively, hurrah sort of a tune, giving the trombone and cornet full opportunities.

During the time my guide explains that all fines collected pay the expenses of the social session, and that the dictator has full power to fine any and every member as often as he choose

Orchestra stops playing and Mr. Pres-ton Belvin is fined 20 cents for laughing at one of Harry Smith's jokes, Monty
Walker, whom we all know and sympathize with, is next called upon, and
gracefully hobbles to the plane. Profesthe "The Bridge." It's that song about among the needy. several types of citizens going over the bridge at midnight. It was sung well, liberally applauded, and as an encore the lame boy sang "Tis Known Alone to The Dictator: Mr. Bo. Duesberry is

fined thirty cents for being bald, and ten cents more for being out at this hour of Joseph W. Laube then made a

happy speech, in which he expressed his pleasure at being present, his sorrow for the absent members, his hope for future success, and during his effort used the word "assimilate," When he started out he was awarded by cries of "Rats," "Shut up," and other polite and courteous expressions, and for the pleasure, sorrow, and the kord "assimilate" he was

One of the brethern next sang without an accompaniment a rollcksome Irish song, and was immediately fined thirty cents for reflecting on the dictater's nationality.

Mr. H. M. Smith, Jr., was called upon for a speech, and immediately proceeded to "wipe up the floor" with the dictator. He gave that individual to understand that in this free land of liberty, where a man like the dictator had come Pertamouth that he could trample the rights of free Americans and set whelf up to be a little the god like whom it. Reed, of Maine. Mr. Smith

Il known physician next entertalked the company with amusing ventriloquism, and was fined twenty cents for

Leffler and Stein were fined twenty cents for spilling beer on each other, after which Mr. Jordan, who is the advance agent of "A Prodigal Father," did a cornet solo with piano accompaniment. He does not use the cornet, but merely by the puckering of his lips creates a sound exactly similar to the soft notes of a cornet.

A well-known Main-street merchant

was then fined forty cents for singing "Comrades," a prominent Broad-street merchant handed fifty cents to the clerk for refusing to sing, the director fined himself \$1 for drinking water, Moses Wise paid thirty cents for eating the whole bowl of celery, Archie Burk was fined twenty cents for being too slow in handing around the cigars, and one by one Mr. J. H. Chatnegue, who was acting as clerk, gathered them in

Captain Frank W. Cunningham sang splendidly, but was fined for coming in late, and Captain J. B. Angle paid thirty for leaving before midnight.

When the witching hour of midnight trived hands were clasped, the old Scotch melody was sung, three cheers we given to Tom Leath, the beer committee circulated once more, and the social session, at which there had been an "ocean of fun," came to an end.

JUSTICE JOHN'S COURT.

The Election Cases Heard-A Long Saturday Docket Before His Honor.

Mary Tierney was made to give security in \$100 for six months for Jrunkenness and profunity in the street.

James Ray was drunk and raised a disturbance, and threatened to kill Theresa Woodward He was fixed \$10 and made to give security in \$10 for six months.

William Lewis (colored) and Douglas Cullingsworth each gave up \$2 for drunk-

The United States deputy marshals and supervisors who were arrested on elec-tion day in the Second precinct of Jack-son ward for intrusion and interference with voters were before the Police Justice yesterday morning.

They were George W. Duesberry, Jr., E. Y. Rowe, Miles M. Williams, M. L. O'Brien and Clinton De Priest. Justice Crutchfield discharged all five

of them, mentioning that if the authori-ties wished them again they would go before the grand jury.
Mike Fernandez was hauled up for beating Eugene Belanger.
Belanger showed up with a beautiful black eye. It seems that they had a

THEY HAD A JOLLY TIME | game of draw poker, and the "ante" was

Presently they dropped into jack-pots, and a dispute began between them. Be-langer wanted to quit the room, when Fernandez struck him.

A friend of Fernandez held the door,

but Belanger escaped, and coming down the steps hit Fernandez. This little pastime cost Mr. Fernandez one \$10 bill.

Arthur Morris and John Hill were

charged with shooting at Claude Harris with a gun in the street.

Claue Harris was charged with shooting at Morris with a pistol in the street. These boys had a row a week ago in Baker street, near St. Paul street. Morris owned up to firing at Harris, but says there was nothing in the gun but powder, and this was proved to be true. Several witnesses declared Harris did

not have a pistol.

It cost Morris \$5 for firing a gun in the treet. The others were discharged. Robert Brown (colored) was charged with assaulting Humphrey Young, and Young (also colored) was charged with

striking Brown with a flat-iron.
This grew out of a family row, and
Brown was discharged. Young was sent
to the grand jury.
Brown's head had not been sewed up,
so the ambulance was sent for. Dr. Tay-

lor dressed the wounds. Charles Johnson (colored) was charged with assault on Virginia Johnson. This case was contined till next Saturday, as

Trainia Johnson did not appear.
The as Marshall and Nannie Morton (both colored) came up for assaulting and beating Elddy Taylor.

Thomas was fined \$19, and the woman can discharged.
Annie Lewis and Mary Giles (both colored) were each fined \$2.50 for drunken-ness and disorder in the street.

Archie Billups (colored) was fined \$2.50 for disorder and throwing stones in the

The following judgments were rendered from the civil docket Friday:

W. Ma tin (contested) in favor Sikes Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company in favor of J. S. Moore Mrs. M E. Tinslev in favor R W. Gary 20 00 Fulton Brick Company in favor Joseph E. Heindl & Co. H. W. Siggins (contested) of Fortsmouth, was selected as dictator of the session.

It is not until after the battle of knives and forks descended into the irregularity of a skirmish fire that the fun begins.

Thus to explain the following notes I will state that the dictator, Mr. Brady, had absolute power in the premises, and had the assistance of two able-bodied men to bring alleged "culprits" to justice.

James McCarter (contested) in favor 0. L. Graham in favor S. P. Hawkins of 51 87

J. I. Slaughter in favor R. P. Hawkins S5 49

G. J. Loval in favor B. Florsheim ... 27 50

Cinton DePriest in favor G. F. Delarue 16 00

C. Pelletti in favor M. A. V. Powers 4 60

G. M. Syles in favor J. F. Skelton, administrator ... 44 00

William B. Cogbill in favor Lawson Valentine Commany ... 25 00 McCarter (contested) in favor 

> HELPING THE NEEDY. An Effort on the Part of the Ladies of the

City Mission. The ladies of the City Mission held a

meeting in the parlor of the Young Men's Christian Association yesterday after-noon Mrs. A. Y. Stokes, president of the Mission, was in the chair. There were fourteen ladies present. Most of the time was taken up in the endeavor to conplete the directory, some of the districts in this city still remaining without visi-A great many cases of sickness and des-

titution were reported, but the societ, practically holpless, having only \$12 in the

Mrs. Stokes urged the ladies not to lose courage, expressing the hope that some charitable persons would come to the res-cue of the organization. The ladies were asked to continue to visit the poor, even if it could only be done under great perschal sacrifice. Besides ministering to the suffering and giving comfort to those in need, the ladies were asked to consider the noble cause in which they were work-

The ladies earnestly request the citizens ze with, is next called upon, and of Richmond to send in contributions for the support of the poor, and they also the plays the accompaniment and hope to be able to enlarce their ranks in order to establish systematic visiting

The Freight Rates,

A meeting from the joint committee rom the Chamber of Commerce and from the Chamber of Commerce and the Wholesale Grocers' Association and ship companies interested, was held yes-terday in the office of Mr. James H. Drake, of the Danville road. The object of the meeting was to discuss the mat-ter of freight rates between New York and other Northern cities and Richmond In the meeting besides the Richmond representatives the following gentlemen were present; James H. Drake, of the Richmond and Danville railroad; W. E. Guillunden, of the Old Dominion Steam ship Company; J. W. McCarrick, of the Clyde Line; John G. Procter, of the Clyde Line; E. D. Hotchkiss, of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad; and C. A. Taylor, of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac. Mr. Sol Haas was to have been present, but was detained in New York by illness. The result of the conference will be reported to an early meeting of the Chamber of Commerce. It is understood that there was a disposition shown on the part of the transportation companies to meet the views of the Richmond committee, which gives promise ultimately of resulting in a satisfactory arrangement

Mrs. Frischkorn's Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Julia Meredith Prischkorn took place yesterday afternoon from St. Mark's church, in the presence of a large conccurse of sorrowing friends and acquaintances, Rev. George Abbott, assistant rector of St. Mark's, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Burton, of St. John's, conducted the services.

The music, under the direction of Cap-tain Frank Cunningham, assisted by Mrs. Knowles, Mrs. Reinhardt, Mr. Shaw and Professor Reinhardt at the organ, was most beautiful and touching. Captain Cunning ham's "Good Night" was rendered with unusual pathos. "Nearer My God to Thee" and hymn 512 were among the selections of the quartette,

The remains were followed to the grave. in Hollywood by a long line of carriages.

The pall-bearers were—Active: John Lindsey, Jr., Charles W. Hardwicke, John S. Lear, William H. Brauer, T. Wiley Davis, Lear, William H. Brauer, T. Wiley Davis, Charles H. Epps, W. G. Puller and L. C.

Hoporary-W. Miles Turpin, Charles P. Rady, J. B. Pleasants and James C. Smith.

Powhatan Braves. The big ladians of the Powhatan Club have nearly wampum enough to begin the

building of a big wigwam. Never were the suchems and warriors in better shape. Their great appearance in the parade of Thursday night was universally commented on.

Eureka A, and P. Club's Social.

On Tuesday evening last, despite the rainy wonther, there was quite a gathering at the Fureka A and P. Club rooms, No. 609 north Twenty-sixth street. The entertainment was very much enjoyed by all present and the merriment was kept up until quite

Among the ladies present were: Misses Among the latiles present were: Misses
Lizzie, Augusta and Lena Zank: Satah
Blankenship, Minnie Binford, Cora Beil,
Minnie Metzger, Annie Cannon, Annie Mahone, Callie and Mary Procelton. Among
the gentiemen present were: Messrs. C. E.
Blankenship, John Mahone, John E. Wagner, John B. Metzger, L. H. Allen, R. T.
Bass, H. L. Metzger, H. L. Montague, C.
E. Boehme, J. J. Cannon and C. Dowdy.

Thanks, Democrats, Thanks.

Headquarters City Democratic Com., Richmond, Va., Nov. 19, 1892.

Editor of the Times, Richmond, Va.;

Dear Sir,—Please permit us through your columns to thank all of the Democrats individually and collectively who took part in the parade and torch-light demonstration in this city on the 17th instant. We are de-lighted with them and their fine appearance and conduct and hope to have them with us often in the future to celebrate the vict. ries

of our party and the of our party and the of the people.

Very respectfully.

S. S. P. PATTESON.

Chairman. our party and the triumphs of the rights

Meyer's - 6th & Broad. Meyer's - 6th & Broad. Meyer's - 6th & Broad. Meyer's - 6th & Broads

White Fur Rugs .....

## Meyer's YET MORE BARGAINS! Meyer's

Again we reiterate our Dress Goods Bargains. cannot be matched elsewhere See this week's leading bargains. We are not losing money on them. Pinaud's Borghetto Extract, They have not been reduced. We bought them from embarrassed im-They needed money, so we got bargains. Foule Serges, 42 inches, seven fashionable colors, soft as silk, formerly sold for \$1....59c. Crisp Wiry Serges, 42 inches, Colgate's Largest Toilet Waters, every leading fashionable color, including \$1 and 75c. qualities ...... 59c. Sturdy, Reliable Cashmeres solid colors, finest twill, value 75c...59c. regular price 75c .. Silk Finished Henriettas Novelty Dress Goods. solid colors, woven fancies, dashes, spots, cords, etc., value \$1...59c. Cheviot Storm Serges, 46 inches, Cheviot Storm Serges, 46 inches,
rough wide wale,
solid ravy, seal, green, value \$1.50....\$1
All-Wool Henriettas, 35 inch,
solid colors, thirty shades,
guaranteed 50c, quality—our price...40c.
New Scotch Plaids,
bright and dark, 40 inches..........50c.
All-Wool Flarnel Plaids, a school dress material. You always paid fifty cents—these.37 1-2c Plaid Elderdown Flannels, tan, white and brown effects........75c. Black Beaver Cleaking, 56 inches wide, value \$5......\$3. Black Cheviot Cloaking, heavy wide wale, 56 inches wide, value fully three dollars......\$2. Striped Cashmeres, 32 inches wide, Real Bristle Hair-Brushes, blue and white, garnet and gray, English make, value 50c...... Real Bristle Hair-Brushes, solid back, English make, value \$1.25..... solid blues, brown, cardinal, tags, grays and greens, value 75c ... . 50c. Still selling the most staple Pearl-Handle Shell Flies .. Match-Safes, Candelabra, etc., only one of a kind. Prices from 25c. to \$5. At the Jewelry Counter-Some special-bargain items. are still on sale. Sterling-Silver Hair-Pins, 25c. Ornamental Hair-Pins, 25c. Special lots 12-karat Gold Rings, Also the following: Fancy Colored Satins for fancy work, value 50c ......29c. warranted as represented, Exquisite India Silks, 14-karat Gold Rings. Figured India Silks, Imitation stone settingsevening shades, value \$1.25.....\$1. Seeded Mourning Silks, 

......\$1.25 Goya Lily, Alpine Violet, Edenia, Swiss Lilac, value 75c.......59c. Pinaud's Bouquet Cotillion Extract. Murray & Lanman's Florida Water...4c. Marie Antoinette Handkerchief Extracts, 1-2-ounce bottles, Violet, Jessamine, White Rose, Wood Violet, Heliotrope, 4-ounce bottles Toilet Waters, Lilac, Violet, Lavender, Heliotrope, value 39c. 25c. 1-2 pound genuine Vaseline. 25c. in fancy paper sachet—all odors....5c.
Talcum Powder, sprinkler box.....15c.
Fancy-Handle Tooth-Brushes,
3,0%, worth ten cents, for......5c. Buffalo Horn, Imtation Tortoise-Shell Finest English Hair-Brush, SPECIAL SALE OF FANCY GOODS, A sample line almost half price, Mitrors, Frames, Silver and Brass Inkstands, Bon-Bons, Card-Receivers, Baby sizes......25c. Children's and Misses', with Sets...50c. Rhine-stones, Emeralds, Sapphire, Garnet, Turquoise—value \$3......... \$1.50 Solid Gold Searf-Pins. Diamond-chip settings.....\$1.00 Solid Silver Scarf-Pins Finest Gloria-Silk Umbrellas-Silk covers, cords and tassels, ladies' and gentlemen's Cape-Horn ' The greatest Handkerchief bargains of the year now on show in corner window. China-Siik Handkerchiefs-Embroidered, scallored corner-

Soiled-End Table Damask almost half price, Pure Linen Table Damask, 7-4 Turkey-Red Covers, value 88c....50c. Cardinal Table Covers, 2 1-2 yards long, value \$2.......\$1.25 Slik Brocatelle Furniture Covering. exquisite colorings, value \$4.....\$2.50
Some extra fine Silkolines, drapery, yard wide......15c. Odd Lace Curtains,
one, two and three pairs of a kind,
at about half price.
Imitation Silk Curtains, gold, pink and light blue, for doors or windows, value \$5.....\$3.50 250 pair Lace Curtains. 3 1-2-yard Nottingham, cream or white, value \$2.50.......\$1.75
Nottingham Lace Curtains. Scotch, Guipure, 2-thread, Nottingham, value \$3 to \$5.......\$2.50 The Coat Department still continues the rage. Swell Box Coats, tailor-made, strap seams, raw edges, velvet collars, stitched cuffs, large pearl buttons: exquisite quality, kersey,
navy, black, and tan.
Such a coat North costs \$40.
Price here is.......\$25 Black Beaver Coats, silk-faced, silk-lined sleeves. .....\$12 Chudren's All-Wool Reefers, light, stylish mixed cloths, 4 to 6 years. Value \$3.50......\$2.50 8 to 12 years, Value \$4.50.....\$3 Children's long Gretchens, 10 styles different cloths, 6 to 12-year sizes. Former prices, \$15 to \$17. A special purchase price now......\$10
SPECIAL SALE READY-MADE
DRESSES. Reefer Suits. Blazer Suits. Serge Suits. Broadcloth Suits. Cassimere Suits. Best Floor Oil-Cloth made, more than 10 patterns .. GREAT MATTING BARGAINS. Linen Warp Damask, new, fresh goods, just received, value 50c.... Fine Chenille Table-Covers, lambrequin fringe, 1 1-2 yds. square, \$1.99 1,000 Canton Plush Table Covers, both sides satteen covered, value \$3, \$2.25 100 per cent. Natural Wool Blanket, value \$6.50. Special sale Brussels Carpets, made and laid on the floor ...... 57 1-2c. Special sale Rich Carpets, magnificent quality Wilton Velvet, sewed and laid on the floor for ..... 92c. Woven Design Smyrna Door-Mat.....50c. Moquet-Top Hassocks, value 75c... Exquisite Chenille Portleres, 10 designs, value \$25..... | Black Fur Rugs.....\$2.75 |

Everybody agrees the greatest stock of Underwear is here. See the new Men's Undershirt, celebrated Aukland Mills make ....... We still have all sizes Children's Half-Wool Vests specially for delicate Ladies ........... \$1.50 Some special Bargains in Xmas Goods should induce you to buy now and lay aside. Read of these wonderful values: REAL OIL PAINTINGS. Imported from Austria, the work of Vienna artists, framed in wide gilt frames, 18x14 inches, remarkable price.....\$2.50 31x25 inches, remarkable price.....\$3.50 3,000 full-size Bamboo Picture Easels—half price..33d.
Dainty, exquieite Water-Colors,
size 18x7 inches,
Cream and silver frames 24x15, 25 different subjects, value \$4...... ALSO FANCY ART WORK makes homes beautiful at a very small cost here. If you haven't seen these articles it's worth a trip to Sixth and Broad. covered with Silkoline ..... Fringed Chair Scarfs Fringed Silkoline Table-Covers, gilt-tinted, silk-fringed, value 39c....15c. French Satine Table-Covers, Many special Bargains-Stamped Linens, 50-inch Linen Buffet-Scarf, knotted fringe, drawn centre, value \$4.

Boys' Black Leather Leggins,
value \$4.

Ladies' Broadcloth Overgalters, tans, grays, navy, black, best tucked, value \$1.

Drop-Stitch, Lisle Thread Hose, red, cream, sky, lilac, white, pink, value 50c .... ...37 1-2c. Children's fast-black Ribbed Hose, Winter-weight Black Hose 

## JULIUS MEYER & SONS, 601, 603, 605 Broad Street.

HE FELL ON A BUCKET | a special meeting of the council Friday

Great Basket Show just opened

5c. to \$7.50 apiece. Breton Fancy Work Baskets,

More than 5,000 Fancy Baskets,

Hair Pin and Article Trays,

of our Toilet Article prices.

Don't you take notice

Fatal Accident to a Well-Known Chesterfield Farmer-Water Pipes for Manchester-Other Southside News.

THE INJURY RECEIVED.

MANCHESTER BUREAU RICHMOND TIMES, ! 1121 HULL STREET, BRATTIE BLOCK.

Everybody in Manchester and Chesterfield was shocked at the news of an accident to Mr. Dabney Gills, a prosperous and well-known farmer of Chesterfield. which terminated fatally yesterday at 3

Mr. Gills lived on the Broad Rock road, four miles from the city.

Going out to his stable to see to the feeding of his stock at 6 o'clock Friday morning, he stumbled and fell on a bucket he was carrying. He was injured internally, falling, as he did, with force, but managed to go to the house. He explained his hurt to Mrs. Gills then. His sufferings were great later on.

He seemed fully aware of his condition, and bravely directed what he wished done, for he felt that he could not live. Dr. T. P. Mathews, of Manchester, was

immediately summoned.

Nothing could be done but give him opiates. Mr. Gilis died at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. was a native of Amelia,

good Confederate soldier and estimable Mr. William Gills, of Manchester, is his

brother, and Mr. George Gills, of the Richmond and Manchester Street Rallway Company, is his nephew.

At the West End church this morning

and evening there will be services.

Messrs. J. T. Montgomery and Adam
Diacont will have them in charge. At the Sunday-school session there will be an election of its officers. The ladies of the Meade-Memorial

church are preparing for their Thanksgiving dinner and supper at the Nun-nally building, Hull and Twelfth streets. As the pastor of Central Methodist church, Rev. W. C. Vaden, is at the Conference in Norfolk, the Rev. Dr. Pell, editor of the Bible Reader, will preach

there for him. It is probable that the Methodist Conference, now meeting in Norfolk, will not return the Rev. Mr. Woodward to the

Fifth-street church.

The Bainbridge-street church ladies are preparing a dinner and supper on Thanksgiving day, Rev. J. D. Hart, of Richmond College, preaches at Clopton-street Baptist church

this morning. The meeting at Leader Hall will be of unusual interest this afternoon.

The regular song service will take place at 3 o'clock, which will be followed by

Thanksgiving service. All are cordially invited to attend. The Rev. Joseph Walker lectures at the Bainbridge-street church one evening this week. A supper will follow. The reverend

gentleman, though ninety years old, is still vigorous. The water company is to be required by the council to lay pipes on Everett street, between Seventh and Seventeenth where the street is not graded at a safe distance below the ground. Where the natural grade conforms to the established grade they must lay the pipes at prescribed depth.

Between Second and Sixth streets the pipes will have to be put under the ground, at a cost of \$125. The city will pay for this.
At present, owing to the ungraded street, the pipes are on trestles several feet above ground. This is the result of ommonwealth's Attorney Cogbill, of

Chesterfield, was at Clover Hill Pits late-AND DIED SOON AFTERWARDS FROM y, trying to find out the cause of Charles Temple's disappearance several weeks

The Democrats of Granite are the true Thursday night to be in the parade. Mr. Clarence G. Burton has qualified as administrator of the estate of his grand-

father, William Fore, who lived near All the gentlemen who want to be postmaster are working hard. There are eight in number, and all good De norms. The superintendent of schools of Ches-terfield, is visiting the public schools in

the Manchester district. A number of clever amateurs will do the drama, "Bread on the Waters," at Leader Hall, Monday evening.

There was nothing on the docket in

Mayor Maurice's court yesterday morn-Mr. Burgess, a resident on the Broad Rock road, is a good Democrat, and has

trained a shepherd dog in the way he should go. When Mr. Burgess tells him to theer for Cleveland, doggie barks The old-jail at Chesterfield Courthouse is to be pulled down and taken away. It is an ancient affair, a relic of the good old colony days. It was long used as a

debtors' prison.

Mrs. Robbie Page, of Buckingham, left this city for home yesterday morning.
Mr. William Harrison, lately ill with

typhoid fever, is recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bradshaw have returned from Washington.

Mr. Olton E. Guy, of Beverley, Mass., once a resident of Manchester, is in the

city on a visit.

Miss Mary Thomas, of Bedford City, is in Manchester.

The board of supervisors of Chester-

field is to meet on Monday week.
On Tuesday night the Chesterfield
Troop meets for election of a captain in
the place of Captain David Moore. This officer has resigned. He is a gallant ex-confederate, and since the war has served three years in the volunteer forces. He is now entitled, if he applies for it, to be placed on the retired list with the rank of cantain rank of captain.

The funeral of Mr. Benjamin Martin, late of Hallsboro, occurred from Bethel church yesterday. The Rev. R. H. Win-free officiated. Mr. Martin was paralyzed in Richmond several months since, and lingered till Friday, when he died.

WEDDED IN WASHINGTON. Miss Josie Poe is Now the Bride of Mr. J.

J. Fairbank. Miss Josephine B. Poe, the attractive and much-beloved daughter of Major John Foe, Jr., and Mr. John J. Fairbank.

S. G. Fairbank, were married Friday afternoon in Washington. It was not an elopement, for the parents of both the bride and groom bade them good-bye on the noon train. The couple did not care for the general publicity now so prevalent at church weddings, and

the popular and well-known son of Mr.

there being reasons for the ceremony to be performed at some other place than home, they quickly saw their way out of the dilemma by taking the train and being quietly married in Washington. Major Pos received a telegram Friday evening from them which stated that the troths had been plighted at 6 o'clock; that they were preparing to go to the the

that they would spend Saturday in Balti-more, and that they would be home in time for dinner Sunday.

The groom is connected with the Gal-lego Mills Company, of which his father is first vice-president, and has many friends, who wish him and his fair bride every happiness.

THE STATE OF TRADE.

Special Telegrams From Throughout the Country Condensed. The following extracts as to the state

of trade are taken from Bradstreet's

of trade are taken from Bradstreet's weekly report:
There is a more cheerful tone to nearly all telgraphic reports to Bradstreet's from Southern cities. New Orleans reports cotton lc. higher, sugar active, and rice in free movement with an upward tendency to prices; now that the strike has ended, lower temperature alone is needed to greatly stimulate distribution. These conditions to some extent characterize Atlanta, Birmingham and Charleston, where the volume of business has increased and collections have improved. Like reports come from

have improved. Like reports come from Nashville and from Memphis, while Baltimore, which does a large trade with the South, sends word that while the season's consumption of staples has been

season's consumption of staples has been small an improved business for spring is expected. Business collections are generally fair.

Stock speculation at New York is inert, though foreigh buying is becoming more noticeable. The movement of prices, however, is in narrow limits, and depends mainly on bear selling and subsequent railies due to covering of short contracts. The advance of exchange and fears of gold shipments create unfavorable feeling. The agreement of the trunk lines to maintain rates and regulate competitive traffic is considered a beneficial influence. The sliver market is duli, and does not respond either to the meeting of the International Conference or the allegation that England's policy will be to prevent positive action. The price of wheat has stiffened a little this week on reported decreases in available export supplies in Australia and India checked deliveries by Ameriavailable export supplies in Australia and India, checked deliveries by American farmers, and the spread of the belief that 112,000,000 fewer bushels produced in the United States this year than last must tend to stimulate demand and prices later in the year. Exports, too, continue heavy each week, far exceeding the movement in any other except last year. This week domestic seanorts, both coasts, exported 2,343,600

exceeding the movement in any other except last year. This week domestic seaports, both coasts, exported 3.943,600 bushels of wheat (flour included), against 3.855,500 bushels last week, and 5.285,600 bushels in the like week last year. Indian corn, too, is firmer on declining available supplies, small crop estimates and full average exports.

There have been 205 business failures reported to Bradstreet's this week, last week there were 188, and in the week one year ago 203. The total of bank clearings at cities throughout the country reporting the same, amount this week to \$1.255,000,000, which is less than 1 per cent. in excess of the like total one year ago, and nearly 13 per cent. more than last week which was interrupted by the election.

election.

Hamilton. Toronto, Montreal and Halifax report bank clearings this week aggregating \$5,301,000, or 21 per cent. more than last week and 36 per cent. more than in the third week of November, 1891. There were 41 failures in the Dominion this week; last year the week's total was 47; last week it was 14.

Locally in all lines orders are reported more active than last week collections.

more active than last week, collections better, and Southern trade prospects much brighter.

Hardman Pianos. Used and indorsed by our leading mu-sicians, schools and teachers. WALTER D. MOSES & CO., 1005 Main street, Opposite Postorfice.

Upright Pianos, \$150. This plane is in good order and quite WALTER D. MOSES & CO., 1006 Main street,

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Sole agents, 1005 Main street,
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Only one place to get them in Richmond. Call on Manly B. Ramos & Co., 903 Main street. Chickering! Chickering! Chickering! Only one place to get them in Rich-nond. Call on Manly B. Ramos & Co., The Liszt Organs.

The Liszt Organs.

Mason & Hamlin have just received orders from their London representatives for two Liszt Organs to be purchased by the Cunard Company for their new monster greyhounds Catalona and Lucania, now nearing completion. The Liszt Organ is already supplied to the Teutonic, Majestic, Umbria, Etruria, City of Paris and City of New York. The two latter ships contain a Mason & Hamlin plano as well. This speaks well for American manufacturers, and Mason & Hamlin may well be proud of such distinguished patronage.

Special attention is called to the advertisement in another column of the sale of high-bred Jersey cows, heifers and calves at the Richmond Bazaar on the 25th instant. All this herd of stock is now at the Bazaar, where the manager, Mr. J. D. Seabright, will take pleasure in showing it to any who may call.

Second-Hand Piano Bargains. One Steinway Piano (modern), one Chickering Piano, one Hardman Piano, one Gabler Piano (almost new).

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Opposite Postoffice. The well-known firm, Manly B. Ramos & Co., are the representatives for Virginia of Mason & Hamlin.

MARRIAGES. FAIRBANK POE. Married, in Washington, D. C., November 18, 1892, JOHN J. FAIRBANK and JOSIE B. POE, both of this city.

DEATHS.

WADE.—Died, at his residence, 600 south Pine street, November 19th, at 2:35 P. M., after a prief illness of congestion of the lungs. EDWARD WADE, in the sixty-eighth year of his age.

Funerai will take place from Laurel-street Methodist Episcopal church MONDAY, the 21st instant, at 3:30 o clock. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

INION CENTRAL LIFE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY,

CINCINNATI, O. GEORGE C. GARY, GENERAL AGENT, 1110 EAST MAIN STREET,

RICHMOND, VA. The LIFE-RATE ENDOWMENT POLICY, non-forfeitable as issued by UNION CENTRAL. comprises PROTECTION with INVESTMENT at ordinary life rates. Our 20-PAYMENT LIFE GUARANTY POLICY is ahead of all modern insurance plans. For our PROMPT SETTLEMENT of death loss see copy of last paid:

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Richmond, Va., Nov. 16, 1892.

This is to certify that the Union Central Life Insurance Company of Cincinnati, O., have this day paid me through Mr. GEORGE C. GARY, general agent, ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, being in full for an insurance upon the life of my husband, Isaiah Ham, who died in this city October I7, 1892.

Colonel David R. Hunt, from the home office of the company, furnished me immediately with the necessary blanks, proofs of loss and papers required and advised me concerning making them out properly, also advised me not to employ counsel or any person, or incur any unnecessary expense in looking after my interests. The payment of the policy within thirty days of the decease of the insured and several weeks before the claim is due under the contract, certainly deserve credit, and I cheerfully commend the company as worthy of confidence and patronage.

(Signed)

ANN E. HAM.

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r. Wilson Barrett and his London Company will appear at Movart Academy for one week, beginning MONDAY, NOVEMBER SSIM.
Change of bill at each performance. Subscription tickets for the entire course of eight perforn a tees, \$10 - NOW ON SALE.